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PETITION OF NORTHERN INDIANA )  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY FOR )  
APPROVAL OF ANNUAL DEMAND, )  
TAKE-OR-PAY, TRANSITION AND )  
STORAGE AND TRANSMISSION )  
COSTS TO BE APPLICABLE IN )  
THE TWELVE-MONTH PERIOD, )  
BEGINNING NOVEMBER 1, 2004 )

CAUSE NO. 41338-GCA6

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You are hereby notified that on this date, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

On August 27, 2004 in accordance with the Commission's August 18, 1999 Order in Cause No. 41338, Northern Indiana Public Service Company ("Petitioner" or "NIPSCO"), filed its verified Petition in this Cause for approval of the annual demand, storage and transmission costs of NIPSCO's rates, to be applicable during the twelve-month period beginning November 1, 2004. On October 13, 2004, a prehearing conference Order was approved by the Commission scheduling the evidentiary hearing for February 15, 2004.

The Commission, on its own motion, now finds that the evidentiary hearing scheduled for February 15, 2004 should be continued to February 18, 2005 commencing at 9:30 a.m. in Room E306, Indiana Government Center South, Indianapolis, Indiana.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

*Judith G. Ripley*  
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Judith G. Ripley, Commissioner

*Abby R. Gray*  
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Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge

*December 9, 2004*  
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Date